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In re Patent Application of:
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For: **PHOTOGRAPHIC LENS**

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This submission is in response to the Official Action dated July 14, 2004. Reconsideration of the above identified application, in view of the following remarks, is respectfully requested.

I. Status of the Claims

Claims 1-19 are presently pending.

Claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13 and 14 stand rejected.

Claims 3, 6, 9, 12, and 15-19 are objected to.